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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Martin J. Polsenski et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1651
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Application No.: 10/617,177	)	Examiner: K.C. Srivastava, Ph.D.
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MICROBIAL PERFORMANCE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

This reply is filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 28, 2005. A request for a three-month extension of time with the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this reply. Accordingly, the reply is filed timely if filed on or before September 28, 2005.